7. The attention of candidates is particularly called to the following :—

1. No candidate will be allowed to quit the Examination room on any day until the expiration of half an hour from the time fixed for the commencement of the Examination, and candidates arriving after the expiration of that half hour will not be admitted.

2. No candidate will be allowed to re-enter the Examination room during the hours of Examination after once quitting it, nor to leave the room without finally giving up his answer papers.

3. If any candidate is detected in speaking to, or in any way communicating with, any other candidate, the circumstance will be reported to the President.

4. No candidate will on any account be allowed to take into the Examination room books, manuscripts, or papers of any kind. Any one detected in the violation of this rule, or having recourse to any unfair practices, will be removed from the room, and the occurrence reported to the President.

5. A candidate having completed his paper will rise from his seat and remain standing until the Superintendent takes his answer papers. Any candidate wishing to ask any question will pursue the same course, but will on no account leave the place.

6. Any papers sent without the candidate's *name* and *number* affixed will not be examined.

7. Candidates will not be allowed to take any papers, except their question papers, out of the Examination room.

8. Candidates are forbidden to tear up papers, or to throw papers on the floor. All spoilt copies, &c., should be left on the desk where the candidate has been writing.

By Order,

V. A. RAJARATNA MUDALIAR,
Secy. to the Board of Examiners.

FOREST DEPARTMENT.

Notification, dated 13th May 1897.

1. It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive privilege of collecting Tangadi (*Cassia auriculata*) and Kakke (*Cassia fistula*) barks on all Government unoccupied lands, excluding State Forests and Plantations (which will be separately dealt with) in the undermentioned taluks of the Bangalore district, *from 1st July* 1897 *to 30th June* 1898, will be sold talukwar by public auction by the District Forest Officer in conjuction with the Deputy Commissioner or other Officer Deputed by him, at the Deputy Commissioner's office at Bangalore on the *24th June* 1897.

1. Bangalore taluk	6. Magadi taluk
2. Anekal taluk	7. Nelamangala taluk
3. Kankanhalli taluk	8. Hoskote taluk
4. Channapatna taluk	9. Dodballapur taluk
5. Closepet sub-taluk	10. Devanhalli taluk

2. The auction will commence *at* 2 *p. m.* on the day of sale, and if the sale is not completed on the same day it will be continued on the next following day at the same hour.

3. The exclusive privilege above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder, but the sale will be subject to the confirmation of the Deputy Commissioner, who reserves to himself the right to accept or reject any bid without assigning any reason therefor.

4. Parties intending to bid must attend either in person or by duly accredited agents, and no person will be permitted to bid either on his own behalf or on account of any one else unless he deposits a sum of Rs. 100. The deposits made by the unsuccessful bidders will be returned at the close of sale. The successful bidder shall, within three days after the confirmation of the sale is intimated to him, pay into the Bangalore District Treasury one-fourth of the total rental including the deposit already made. Should he fail to do so, the deposit will be forfeited and the exclusive privilege will be re-sold by the Officers conducting the sale.

5. Re-sale effected under the above para will be at the risk of the defaulting bidder who will forfeit all gain, and in the event of a loss by such re-sale shall make good the deficiency between the total amount payable by him for the whole period under the terms of the original sale and the total amount payable by the successful bidder at the re-sale.

6. The lessee shall sign an agreement binding himself to observe the conditions below, and it should be executed within five days from the date on which the confirmation of the sale may be intimated to him.

The balance of the lease-amount and local cess at one anna in the rupee on the whole sum shall be payable in three equal khists as follows :—

1st khist on 1st October 1897, 2nd khist on 1st January 1898 and 3rd khist on 1st April 1898.

In the event of any khist not being so paid all collection and removal of the barks will be stopped and the whole of the balance of lease amount will become payable and be recovered as a revenue demand, in addition to forfeiture of the lease.

Conditions.

(1) To bark all shoots whether large or small over one year old.

(2) To prevent the cutting or barking of tender stems, *i. e.*, those under one year old, by his servants or sub-contractors.

(3) To furnish a list of sub-contractors and mestris who may be appointed for the collection of bark in the different working circles.

(4) The barked wood to be the property of the lessee.

(5) To keep accounts showing the quantity of the bark removed in accordance with the lease and to permit inspection of such accounts by the Deputy Commissioner or the District Forest Officer or any other Officer deputed by either of them.

(6) To provide passes for each cart-load of bark in such manner as may be laid down by the District Forest Officer.

(7) To remove out of the limits of the Bangalore district, and before the end of June 1898, all bark cut, collected or stored in the several kotis of the district as well as railway stations.

(8) In the event of breach of any of the above conditions, the lease is liable to be cancelled, all the bark collected and stored up to date to be confiscated, and the whole of the lease amount paid by the contractor or such portion thereof as may be decided by the Deputy Commissioner be forfeited to Government.

H. MUTTAPPA,
District Forest Officer, Bangalore Dt.

Notification, dated 31st May 1897.

It is hereby notified that the exclusive privilege of collecting Tangadi (*cassia auriculata*) and Kakke (*cassia fistula*) barks in the taluks noted below during the year 1897-98 (1st July 1897 to 30th June 1898) will be sold by public auction, on the dates, at the places and by the Officer noted against them :—

Name of taluk.	No.	Name of firkas or hoblis.	Period for which the privilege is sold.	Place of sale.	Date of sale.	Officer conducting the sale.	Officer by whom the sale is to be confirmed.	Remarks.
Tarikere ...	1	Tarikere	From 1st July 1897 to 30th June 1898.	Tarikere Taluk Cutcherry.	25th June 1897.	Amildar.	Deputy Commissioner, Kadur district.	The sale will be conducted hobliwar or talukwar as may be found advantageous to Government at the time of sale.
	2	Amritapur						
	3	Lingadahalli						
	4	Lakvalli						
	5	Ajjampur						
	6	Sivane						
Kadur ...	1	Kadur		Kadur Taluk Cutcherry.	27th June 1897.	Amildar.		
	2	Birur						
	3	Hirenallur						
	4	Bidare						
	5	Yegati						
	6	Sakrepatna						
Chikmagalur ...	1	Chikmagalur		Chikmagalur Taluk Cutcherry.	29th June 1897.	Amildar.		
	2	Marle						
	3	Lakya						
	4	Vastara						
	5	Bidarnad						
	6	Khandya						
	7	Kadagalnad						
	8	Jagara						

N. B.—The produce of Amrut Mahal kavals is included (*Vide* Government Proceedings No. 9966-75—R. F. 92-93, dated 21st December 1893.)

The produce of Government State Forests and plantations, also that of inam jodi, kayamgutta and other lands which are in the occupancy of private individuals is not included in the above.

2. The auction will commence at 2 P. M., on each day of sale and if the sale is not completed on the same day it will be continued on the next following day at the same hour.

3. The exclusive privilege above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder, subject to the confirmation of the Deputy Commissioner who is at liberty to accept or reject the bid at his discretion. The accepted bill will represent the amount which is to be paid for the period of 12 months for the above said privilege.

4. Parties intending to bid must attend either in person or by duly accredited agents. Each successful bidder shall, within three days after the confirmation of the sale is intimated to him, credit into the Government Treasury of the taluk concerned, *one-fourth* of the total rental. Should he fail to do so, the exclusive privilege will be *re-sold* by the Officer who conducted the original sale.

5. Re-sales effected under the above para will be at the risk of the defaulting bidder who will forfeit all gain and, in the event of a loss by the re-sale, shall make good the deficiency between the total amount payable by him for the whole period under the terms of the original sale and the total amount payable by the successful bidder at the re-sale. If the deficit be not paid on demand, it will be liable to be recovered as a revenue demand.

6. The lessee shall sign an agreement binding himself to observe the conditions below and it should be executed within five days from the date on which the confirmation of the sale may be intimated to him. In default the deposit will be forfeited and the right re-sold.

7. The balance of the lease amount and the local cess at one anna in the rupee on the whole sum, shall be paid in two equal instalments, the first instalment being payable before the end of September 1897 and the second before the end of December 1897.

In the event of a khist not being so paid, collection and removal of the barks will be stopped and the whole of the balance of the lease amount and local cess due will be recovered as a revenue arrear and the lease is liable to be cancelled.

Conditions.

1. No stem or shoot under one year old to be cut or barked.
2. To hold himself responsible to prevent the felling of tender stems by his servants or sub-contractors.
3. To furnish a list of sub-contractors and mestris who may be appointed by him for the collection of bark in the different working circles and of the places where the produce will be kept stored before removal from each working circle.
4. The barked wood to be the property of the lessee.
5. To keep accounts showing the quantity of the bark removed in accordance with the lease from each working circle and to permit inspection of such accounts by the District Forest Officer, Forest Range Officer and Amildar or any other Officer deputed by him.
6. To provide passes for each cart-load of bark in such manner as may be laid down by the District Forest Officer.
7. To remove out of the limits of the Kadur district and before the end of June 1898, all bark cut, collected or stored.
8. To hold himself responsible for the occurrence of any fire in District Forests provided they are caused by him or by his men and to make good any loss which may accrue to any valuable forest trees or crops.
9. In the event of breach of any of the above conditions, the lease is liable to be cancelled, all the bark collected to be confiscated and the whole of the amount paid by him or such portion thereof as may be decided by the Deputy Commissioner to be forfeited to Government.

B. HEERA SINGH,
District Forest Officer, Kadur Dt.

Notification, dated 18th June 1897.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive privilege of collecting Tangadi (*Cassia auriculata*) and Kakke (*Cassia fistula*) barks on all Government unoccupied lands, excluding State Forests and Plantations (which will be separately dealt with) in the undermentioned taluks of the Shimoga district, *from 1st August 1897 to 30th June 1898*, will be sold talukwar by public auction by the District Forest Officer in conjunction with the Deputy Commissioner or other Officer deputed by him, at the Deputy Commissioner's office at Shimoga on the *24th June 1897*.

1. Shimoga (including Kumsi sub-taluk).
2. Channagiri taluk.
3. Honnali taluk.
4. Shikarpur taluk.
5. Sorab taluk.
6. Sagar taluk.
7. Nagar taluk.
8. Tirthahalli taluk.

2. The auction will commence at 2 P. M. on the day of sale, and if the sale is not completed on the same day, it will be continued on the next following day at the same hour.

3. The exclusive privilege above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder, but the sale will be subject to the confirmation of the Deputy Commissioner, who reserves to himself the right to accept or reject any bid without assigning any reason therefor.

4. Parties intending to bid must attend either in person or by duly accredited agents, and no person will be permitted to bid either on his own behalf or on account of any one else, unless he deposits a sum of Rs. 100. The deposits made by the unsuccessful bidders will be returned at the close of sale. The successful bidder shall, within three days after the confirmation of the sale is intimated to him, pay into the Shimoga District Treasury one-fourth of the total rental including the deposit already made. Should he fail to do so, the deposit will be forfeited and the exclusive privilege will be re-sold by the Officers conducting the sale.

5. Re-sale effected under the above para will be at the risk of the defaulting bidder who will forfeit all gain, and in the event of a loss by such re-sale, shall make good the deficiency between the total amount payable by him for the whole period under the terms of the original sale and the total amount payable by the successful bidder at the re-sale.

6. The lessee shall sign an agreement binding himself to observe the conditions below, and it should be executed within five days from the date on which the confirmation of the sale may be intimated to him.

The balance of the lease-amount and local cess at one anna in the rupee on the whole sum shall be payable in three equal khists as follows :—

1st khist on 1st October 1897, 2nd khist on 1st January 1898 and 3rd khist on 1st April 1898.

In the event of any khist not being so paid all collection and removal of the barks will be stopped and the whole of the balance of lease amount will become payable and be recovered as a revenue demand, in addition to forfeiture of the lease.

Conditions.

(1) To bark all shoots whether large or small over one year old.

(2) To prevent the cutting or barking of tender stems, *i. e.*, those under one year old, by his servants or sub-contractors.

(3) To furnish a list of sub-contractors and mestris who may be appointed for the collection of bark in the different working circles.

(4) The barked wood to be the property of the lessee.

(5) To keep accounts showing the quantity of the bark removed in accordance with the lease and to permit inspection of such accounts by the Deputy Commissioner or the District Forest Officer or any other Officer deputed by either of them.

(6) To provide passes for each cart-load of bark in such manner as may be laid down by the District Forest Officer.

(7) To remove out of the limits of the Shimoga district, and before the end of June 1898, all bark cut, collected or stored in the several kotis of the district as well as railway stations.

(8) In the event of breach of any of the above conditions, the lease is liable to be cancelled, all the bark collected and stored up to date to be confiscated, and the whole of the lease amount paid by the contractor or such portion thereof as may be decided by the Deputy Commissioner be forfeited to Government.

C. NARAYAN RAO, *Dt. Forest Officer, Shimoga Dt.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

Notification, dated 20th May 1897.

THE KANNADA PANDITS' EXAMINATION.

1. An Examination called the "Kannada Pandits' Examination" will be held annually at Mysore on the 1st December and following days.

2. The Examination will be open only to those who have passed the Vernacular Teachers' or Upper Secondary Examination, or the Matriculation Examination of the Madras University, at least two years previous to the date of the Pandits' Examination at which they intend to appear.

3 Applications for admission to this Examination must reach the Manager of the Mysore Local Examinations, Bangalore, not later than the 31st August. Each candidate shall forward with his application the certificate of having passed the Vernacular Teachers' or Upper Secondary Examination, or the Matriculation Examination of the Madras University.